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SUGAR.

Referring to Secretary Wilson's recent statement to the effect that it is possible for this country to produce from beets, five times the quantity of sugar required by the American market, the

New York Sun has this to say: In 1908 there were sixty-four beet sugar factories in the United States, an increase of fifty-eight in twelve years. The yield in 1906 was about 30,000 tons. The output now is about 450,000 tons. Taken by itself this is an important and significant fact. It appears as an ample indorsement of Mr. Wilson's statement. There is, however, another side to the matter. During the twelve year period which shows an increase of 420,000 tons in the annual output of beet sugar the American demand for sugar has increased from 2,000,000 tons annually to 3,000,000. The sugar tariff is maintained at its present high if not actually exhorbitant rate largely for the purpose of protecting and developing the American beet industry. It is undeniable that the imposition of a duty mainly for the pur-pose of stimulating and increasing this industry has increased the cost of the entire quantity consumed by a sum not far from total

tonnage consumed multiplied by the rate of duty.

During the last twelve years the total consumption has been about 30,000,000 tons. The average duty has been approximately \$35 a ton. Therefore, partly for revenge, partly for the protection of the cane sugar industry of Hawaii, Porto Rico and Louisiana, but largely for the benefit of the American beet sugar industry the people of the United States have paid during the last twelve years more than \$1,000,000,000 over and above the normal cost of producing sugar plus the cost of handling, refining and distribution and handlers' profits. Approximately \$600,000,000 of this has gone to the United States treasury as customs revenues. The remainder has gone for the encouragement of a domestic industry which now represents a capital investment in factories of about \$70,000,000 and a present annual income to farmers of about \$20,000,000 for beets.

It is not entirely a question whether the United States can or cannot produce its own supply of sugar. It is rather a question whether, in view of the enormous cost of doing so, there is proper justification for protecting the industry in zones in which the root cannot be grown at a fair and reasonable cost. In his estimate of possible production Mr. Wilson uses as a basis those portions of the United States adapted by nature and by the aid of irrigation to its (the sugar beet's) culture. In those areas beet sugar is produced at a cost which entirely fails to justify the rate now imposed. The American people now pay about \$400,000,000 a year for sugar. A reduction of half a cent a pound in the duty would destroy no justifiably established industry, would have all reasonable encouragement for extension of beet enterprises and would save to the American consumer not far from \$40,000,000 a year.

GRAVE TROUBLES.

The following is going the rounds as a bit of newspaper humor worked out by somebody who was otherwise out of employment. The responsibility for it is shoved off on a man who is supposed to have committed suicide because of his perplexities in seeking to find out just what were his relations. Before or after death, he said:

"I married a widow who had a grown up daughter. My father visited our house very often, fell in love with my stepdaughter and married her. So my father became my son-in-law, and my stepdaughter my mother, because she was my father's wife. Some time afterward my wife had a son—he was my father's brother-in-law and my uncle, for he was the brother of my stepmother. My father's wife, that is to say, my stepdaughter, also had a son; he was, of course, my brother, and in the meanwhile my grandchild, for he was the son of my daughter. My wife was my grandmother, because she was my mother's mother. I was my wife's husband and grandchild at the same time. And as the husband of a person's grandmother is his grandfather. I was my own grandfather."

PIN HEADED POLICY.

President Stubbs of the University of Nevada, or rather his pinheaded assistant who refused to loan the mineral exhibit to be taken to the Alaska-Yukon exposition, should be exiled from the state. By his refusal to allow the exhibit to be taken to Seattle, Nevada will not be represented. This same collection of minerals was presented to the university by Sam Davis, the publicity commissioner, and when he asked for the loan of the same was refused, because he would not consent to give some professor a fat salary to accompany

the exhibit.

This same President Stubbs will be before the next legislature asking for unreasonable appropriations to carry on the institution and then will be the time to hand it back to him with a doze of his own medicine. It is an outrage that an appropriation was not made by the legislature for a proper exhibit of Nevada's resources at the coming exposition. Had Sam Davis asked for a half dozen clerks and stenographers the legislature would have made the appropriation, for they were more than generous in this line in giving away the people's money.

FOR GOOD GOODS,

pany and the people of Tonopah are noon teas everybody ought to be for requested to glance at their window it. display to note the real bargains offered. A large consignment of summer wear was received recently and the goods offered are up to date in every respect. He believes in advertising his "good goods" to the people and has wisely taken space in the Daily Bonanza. Read what he has to say in this issue.

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"CASEY JONES" WILL BE INTRO-DUCED BY TEN-PIECE ORCHESTRA.

On Saturday night the Big Casino will have a grand reopening for by that time the burned section of the building will have been completely rebuilt. A large force of men has been employed on the structural work by the hustling contractor, V. Carlson, and now the interior is being papered and wired.

A ten-piece orchestra will furnish

the music for the evening and among the players will be several from Goldfield. The feature of the even-

"Casey Jones," which is all the rage among dancing circles.

An electric planing machine was received yesterday from Los Angeles, and will be used today in repairing the floor. The management states that this machine will place the that this machine will place the \$3000 floor in better shape than

SPENT ARGUING LEGAL POINTS

VERY LITTLE PROGRESS MADE IN WANDELL-SIA ... SIX CLUB CASE.

In the case of C. M. Wandell vs. he Sixty-Six club of Rhyolite permission was asked yesterday by the defense for the privilege of filing an answer to the complaint and the doctrine of estoppel. On the latter counsel argued that at the time Wandell gambled away the sum of \$10,-000 he alleged he lost when a minor, he was a party to the act, for at that time he represented himself to be of age. The arguments on this matter consumed the forenoon and part of the afternoon. The privilege was denied by the court on the grounds it should have been filed at the commencement of the case.

The cross examination of Fred Remick, one of the proprietors of the Sixty-Six club, was completed, and the testimony of William Taylor, the other defendant, was taken on direct and cross examination. Both testified that to the best of their knowledge Wandell did not lose a sum in

REMOVAL OF MINING FINANCIAL NEWS WILL BE GODSEND TO THE STATE.

The following letter was received yesterday from the Mining Financial News and conveys information that will result greatly toward the betterment of conditions in this state. The News is published for the sole purpose of assisting George Graham Rice, the ex-convict stock manipulator, in his efforts to manipulate certain Nevada stocks, especially Coali-tion. It has been known that the postal authorities have been watching Rice's papers for it has been refused admission to the mails under the second-class rate.

While the move will be Nevada's gain, it seems to be taking an unfair advantage of New York. The letter received reads:

"Reno, Nev., May 23, 1909. Tonopah Bonanza, Tonopah, Nev. "Gentlemen—Beginning with the ssue of June 3, the Mining Financial Good goods at factory prices is the sologan of J. E. McNamara and com-suffrage is to take the place of after-sany and the resoule of Tonomb are noon test everybody ought to be for address of the paper on your realizer. address of the paper on your mailing rectors for the ensuing year and the list accordingly. You will continue transaction of such other business as to receive our publication in exchange from the New York office. It may be that the name appears on your mailing list as the Nevada Mining News, which was formerly the A HAPPY DISAGREEMENT.

Dolph—Let's have a nightcap and please make the change so that the Mining Financial News, 42 Broad Kep-it's 2 o'clock; let's make it street, New York, will receive your

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

The following letters remain in the Tonopah postoffice for the week ending May 22. When calling for these letters please state that they are advertised. A fee of 1 cent will be charged for each of the following: Alamo. Rafael, Sr.; Bonnestell, C.

Bolder, Fred; Braun, Henry A .: Callan, Frank; Cooney, J. P.; Davis, William; Barni, Francisco; Chamber-lain, Frederick Dr.; Gilroy, Thos.; Kiltz, Mrs. Davis; Kolsters, J.; Les-tlle, R. H.; Lestle, Mrs. R.; McLat-yem, Clyde; Lewis, Gus; Levis, J. H.; Lee, Katie; Lahey, Tommy; Ma-hier, Bob; Murphy, F. Mrs.; Moore, Livinia Mrs.; Mount, S. F.; McNell, Wm. (2); Olson, Alma Mrs.; Price. B. B.; Powers, Lee; Reynolds, Chas, F.; Ring, Sophie; Delia, Sawyer; Stuart, H. M.; Shaull, Geo.; Schwiezer, J. L.; Southern Nevada Mining Co.; Wreolle, Sam; Waldman, E. J.

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Paul Colton, who has just finished three months' sentence at the county jail on a vagrancy charge, again a visitor in Judge Atkinson's court yesterday on another vagrancy charge and was given a billet of ten days in Sheriff Owens' institution. Colton was arrested Tuesday night while celebrating the expiration of his former term of service on the chain gang. He will now have a chance to help the aforesaid gang clean up the streets for Decoration

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the stock-holders of the Booth Mining company of Goldfield, will be held as provided by the by-laws, at the office of the company, in the Lothrop-Davis

J. W. STEWART, Secretary.

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